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FOR THE

SCHOOL YEAR,

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OFFICE OF EDUCATION,
MONTREAL, 12*th June*, 1851.

HONOURABLE JAMES LESLIE,
Provincial Secretary.

SIR,—In conformity with the 6th Article of the 35th Clause of the Common School Act, 9 Vict. cap. 27, I have the honour to transmit to you, for the information of His Excellency, the Governor General, and of the two Houses of the Legislature of the Province, the following Statistical Tables, namely:

1. Tables shewing the number of Schools which have been in operation during the last six months of the year 1849, and the first six months of the year 1850; the number of children attending them; and the amount contributed by the rate-payers, and that paid by the Government, for the maintenance of the said Schools, during their said terms of Instruction.

2. A Table, shewing the number of School houses built or repaired under the superintendence of the School Commissioners, in virtue of the laws therein mentioned; the amount contributed by the rate-payers, and the amount paid by Government for the said Houses; describing at the same time the description of Schools for which they are intended, in order to carry out the intentions of the Education Act.

I would gladly have transmitted these tables to the Seat of Government at an earlier day, but have not been able, notwith-

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standing my most strenuous exertions. Of the last mentioned, I may truly assert that it has for many days past been a constant source of laborious occupation, inasmuch as being the recapitulation of the contents of many various documents, and of correspondence of considerable length, concerning them, it required immense labour to bring it to completion.

Moreover, in order to transmit the return of School-houses at an earlier date, I should have been compelled to neglect the public service out of doors; and in order to render it as complete as possible, I considered that it would be well to await the end of the School year, which closes with the month of June, in order to include in it the greatest number of School-houses for which a grant has been made; being convinced also, that I should be enabled, even so, to forward it in good time to allow His Excellency and the Legislature, without inconvenience, to make such use of it, during the present Session of Parliament, as the interests of Education might seem to demand.

This Table, constructed on an extensive scale, comprehends interesting details, which bear favourable testimony of the advantages of popular education in Lower Canada. It affords proof likewise of an amount of exertion and of sacrifices which are honourable alike to the friends of the cause and to the country.

It does not, however, fully shew all that has been done in the building of Schools in this Province. There are still a number built within a few months, for which the School Commissioners ask an aid, and which are not included in the present table.

According to the latest reports transmitted to this office, the number of School-houses built under the superintendence of the School Commissioners, in the School Municipalities, amount to 1070. Of these properties, some are worth several thousand pounds; and a considerable number are worth more than five hundred pounds.

Yet the grant has never exceeded the half of the estimated cost of the houses; and that made in favour of the principal School establishments, under the superintendence of the School Com-

missioners, has generally been far below the estimate. Of this any one may be convinced by casting his eye over the Table.

The Statistics of the Schools conducted under the superintendence of the School Commissioners is no less satisfactory.

The hope which I expressed in my last year's Report of a new increase in the number of children attending School has been realized.

The first term of 1849, shewed 1696 Commissioners' Schools, 17 dissentient Schools, and 68,422 children attending them; while the second School term of the same year shews 1789 Commissioners' Schools, 28 dissentient Schools, and 68,994 children attending them; shewing an increase in the second term of 93 Commissioners' Schools, 11 dissentient Schools, and 572 children attending them.

The first term of 1850 affords a result still more satisfactory; the number of Commissioners' Schools is 1845—of dissentient Schools, 84, and of children attending them, 73,643; being an increase of 56 Commissioners' Schools, 6 dissentient Schools, and 4,649 children frequenting them. It appears, then, that in the twelve months next after the first of July, 1849, ending the first of July, 1850, the number of Schools has increased by 166, and that of the children attending them by 5,221. This is a result to me highly satisfactory, and well calculated to prove that the cause of popular education is daily gaining ground among the people, and that, if we persevere, we cannot fail speedily to convince all classes of the excellence of our system.

In the same period, reckoning up to the present time, there have been established more than sixty new School Municipalities, formed either by the division of old Municipalities or in newly settled localities. This is one of the causes which have tended to increase the number of Schools, and of children attending them. In many of those places the law did not work at all. Those who applied for the establishment of these new Municipalities, set diligently to work, in every instance, to establish Schools forthwith, on being organized; and their good example not unfrequently induced the rest of the old Municipalities to comply with the law.

In respect of the instruction given in these Schools, I may

venture to affirm that the advancement of the scholars in learning is as satisfactory as the desire of the people for its diffusion. From the information furnished by the Reports which the School Municipalities transmit to this office, from that furnished by the numerous answers to the questions contained in my Circular No. 14, (of which see a copy annexed, with a table of the answers thereto,) addressed last autumn as a point of duty to School Commissioners and School Visitors in each Muncipality: from that, finally, which I acquire verbally in the routine inquiries of my office, from competent persons, I gather that in a third at least of the Schools, more is taught than the law appoints to be taught in elementary Schools, without, however, meddling with all that properly pertains to a Model School, while in the rest, or nearly so, all the branches of learning are taught which are appointed to be taught in Common Schools. The number of these where this is not done is very small.

Moreover, there are sixty-four Model Schools in operation in the School Municipalities, of which I have reports now before me; and forty-four Superior Girls' Schools. As I before said, I can venture to vouch for the correctness of the present returns; but I am unable to be more precise in matters of detail.

The salaries paid to Teachers vary from £15 to £100, or even to £120 per annum. The rate most usually allowed is between £30 and £60.

The number of Schools taught by females exceeds, in a small degree, the half of the whole number of Schools. The reason of this is, that their services can be had at rates which bear much more lightly on the rate-payers. Nevertheless, Teachers are more sought after and appreciated than they have hitherto been, and as the time approaches when they are bound by law to be furnished with a Certificate of their attainments and capacity, they are generally studying to prepare themselves to undergo the test before the Board of Examiners. More than fifty of them have already undergone the examination appointed by law to be passed by them on or before the first day of July, 1852. The majority of these have obtained Certificates as

Model School Teachers, some as fitted to preside over Academies.

And now, it would be proper that I should give my opinion concerning the provisions of the existing School Law, if I had not already done so, at some length, in the Report which I had the honour to forward to you for His Excellency's consideration, on the 25th March last. My duty—a heartfelt conviction of what is right—render me an enemy to every kind of change which might involve the subversion of the fundamental principles of the present School Law; but I humbly solicit additional means, to ensure its more easy, certain and efficient operation. Now the means which, brought into practice at the present juncture, would satisfy the friend of Education, are principally these:

1. A literary qualification for School Commissioners;
2. The establishment of a Normal School;
3. Deputy Superintendents;
4. Public Libraries;
5. A Journal of Education.

It is plain that as long as the Superintendent of Public Education in Lower Canada stands alone in the work of discovering and removing the obstacles which obstruct its progress on the spot, he will have no time to devote to the compilation of a Journal of Education in English and French, or even to obtain the information necessary for a uniform and detailed statement of such progress, exact as he would desire to make it.

Local difficulties, and the numerous letters and interviews consequent on them, require the presence of the Superintendent at the same time in several places, but he cannot be at once in town and country, at his office, and visiting Schools. The state of things would be widely different, if, from the first, a literary qualification had been required in School Commissioners, and if the Law itself had encountered no opposition. Add to the above, that the Superintendent for Lower Canada is burthened with a heavy pecuniary responsibility, as may be seen by the Tables annexed. It is necessary, therefore, that he

should have local assistance of a more enlightened, more energetic, and more efficient character.

The whole, nevertheless, respectfully submitted.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed,) J. B. MEILLEUR, S. E.

A General Table of the Answers returned to Circular Letter, No. 14.

District of Quebec and Gaspé.		District of Three-Rivers.		District of Montreal.	
Visitors.	School Commissioners.	Visitors.	School Commissioners.	Visitors.	School Commissioners,
33	54	6	13	36	102

Answers were received to 234 of those Circulars as follows, viz: from—

	In favour of the Law.	Against the Law.	Neither for nor against.	
School Visitors	47	11	17	75
School Commissioners	91	17	51	159
Total	138	28	68	
Grand total.....	...	...	...	234

[Circular No. 14.]

EDUCATION OFFICE, EAST,

MONTREAL, *September 20th*, 1850.

Being unable to visit the several School Municipalities, the Superintendent hopes that Messieurs the School Visitors would be pleased, for the interest of Education, to visit the several Schools in their respective Scholastic Municipalities, and inquire minutely into all that relates to the same, in order to enable themselves to answer the following Questions:—

QUESTIONS.	ANSWERS.
1.—Have there been any matters of dispute connected with the operation of the present School Act in your Municipality, and how have they been settled?	
2.—Was the present School Act prevented from operating in your Municipality, and from what cause?	
3.—Have you any remarks which you may think useful, to lead to the improvement of the present School Bill, so as to insure its efficient operation?	
4.—Are the Accounts rendered to the satisfaction of the inhabitants; if not, give the reason?	
5.—Is there any money of the School Fund remaining unappropriated in the hands of the School Commissioners; if so, state the amount, and reason of detention?	
6.—Have any of the Teachers of your Municipality been removed by the Commissioners during the year; if so, give the number of their School District, name, and cause of removal?	
7.—Is there a Model School in your Municipality; if so, by whom conducted?	

8.—Is there a Special Girls' School in your Municipality; if so, by whom conducted?

9.—Indicate by letter A, each School in which the branches of instruction prescribed by law for the mere Elementary Schools are taught.

10.—Indicate by letter B, each School in which the branches of instruction prescribed by law for Model Schools are taught.

11.—Give the number and names of Teachers who are provided with Diplomas from one of the Boards of Examiners.

In the terms of the 10th article of 50th section School Act 6 Vic. c. 27.

12.—If there are any independent Schools in your Municipality, please state the number, and the number of Children attending them.

13.—How many Mixed Schools are taught by Females? Please state the age of such Female Teachers.

14.—What is the number of School-Houses in your Municipality, and their condition respectively?

15.—Have you visited the Schools during the period of Instruction, and at what time?

16.—Have the Teachers regular engagements with the School Commissioners?

17.—Have the School Commissioners visited the Schools, and at what time?

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COUNTY OF BEAUHARNOIS.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Anicet, St.	7	1	185	34	8	10	34	8	10
Clément, St.	9	2	566	66	6	5	66	6	5
Dundee	6	...	171	34	7	2	34	7	2
Elgin	3	...	84	28	6	4	28	6	4
Godmanchester	10	...	353	60	12	8	60	12	8
Hemmingford	16	...	448	71	3	7	71	3	7
Hinchinbrook	13	...	437	40	16	1	40	16	1
Martine, Ste.	9	...	362	78	2	0	78	2	0
" (Dissentient)	...	1	26	3	12	6	3	12	6
Russelltown	12	...	538	66	13	0	66	13	0
Timothée, St.	9	...	408	80	13	1	80	13	1
Urbain, St. (Premier)	3	...	162	31	6	2	31	6	2
Ormstown	13	...	705	49	8	8	49	8	8
" (Dissentient)	4	...	442	37	11	4	37	11	4
Total	114	4	4887	683	7	10	683	7	10

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COUNTY OF BELLECHASSE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Beaumont	4	...	128	22	18	1	22	18	1
Berthier	3	...	129	21	15	0	21	15	0
Charles, St....	9	...	288	49	10	3	49	10	3
François, St., Rivière du Sud	...	...	.....	32	12	6			
Gervais, St.	14	...	440	81	3	0	81	3	0
Lazarre, St....	...	...	.....	14	16	7			
Michel, St.	...	...	.....	27	10	4½			
" (Village)	3	...	147	16	9	6½	16	9	6½
Standon	1	...	31	4	15	7	4	15	7
Valier, St.	6	...	219	40	17	3	40	17	3
Total.....	40	...	1382	312	8	2	237	8	9½

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COUNTY OF BERTHIER.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Barthélemi, St.	5	...	222	38	17	8	38	17	8
Berthier	8	...	455	102	16	5	102	16	5
Brandon	...	...	...	22	18	1			
Cuthbert, St.	7	...	269	60	9	5	60	9	5
Elizabeth, Ste.	7	...	359	61	12	6	61	12	6
Félix, St., de Valois	4	...	162	36	19	10	36	19	10
Ile du Pads	2	...	90	21	18	4	21	18	4
Industrie	5	...	186	36	13	3	36	13	3
Kildare	5	1	201	43	1	9	43	1	9
Lanoraie	4	...	149	35	5	3	35	5	3
Lavaltrie	4	...	122	30	9	8	30	9	8
D'Aillebout	3	...	76	23	16	2	23	16	2
Paul, St.	4	...	114	49	5	4	49	5	4
Thomas, St.	2	...	101	28	11	9	28	11	9
Total	60	1	2506	592	15	5	569	17	4

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COUNTY OF BONAVENTURE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Carleton	1	...	47	22	13	1	22	13	1
Cox	3	...	98	21	16	8	21	16	8
Hope	2	...	60	21	1	10	21	1	10
Hamilton	1	...	30	21	0	2	21	0	2
Mann	...	...	...	8	4	9			
Maria	2	...	56	21	0	2	21	0	2
Matapédiac...	1	...	32	6	11	10	6	11	10
New Richmond	2	...	51	18	14	1	18	14	1
" (Dissentient)	...	1	30	3	10	10	3	10	10
Port Daniel...	2	...	83	16	9	6	16	9	6
Shoolbred	2	...	30	6	11	10	6	11	10
Total.....	16	1	517	167	14	9	159	10	0

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COUNTY OF CHAMBLY.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Blairfindie	5	1	236	52	4	8	52	4	8
Boucherville	4	...	271	58	14	10	58	14	10
Bruno, St.	2	...	137	15	19	8	15	19	8
Chambly	10	...	504	94	16	6	94	16	6
Jean, St.	6	...	329	72	16	7	72	16	7
Longueuil	10	1	542	80	1	7	80	1	7
Luc, St.	2	...	91	25	17	5	25	17	5
Total.....	39	2	2110	400	11	3	400	11	3

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COUNTY OF CHAMPLAIN.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
La Pérade	10	...	324	52	6	3	52	6	3
Batiscan	2	...	136	18	4	2	18	4	2
Champlain	4	...	132	33	7	4	33	7	4
Cap La Magdeleine	3	...	121	21	16	8	21	16	8
Géneviève, Ste.	4	...	167	41	2	2	41	2	2
Maurice, St.	...	...	.....	16	9	7			
Stanislas, St.	...	...	.....	41	7	2			
Total.....	23	...	880	224	13	4	166	16	7

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COUNTY OF TWO MOUNTAINS.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Argenteuil ...	17	...	599	92	0	6	92	0	6
Augustin, St.	...	...	.....	54	14	1			
Benoît, St. ...	10	...	462	96	19	5	96	19	5
Chatham ...	10	...	249	50	11	9	50	11	9
Colomban, St.	4	...	139	24	7	8	24	7	8
Eustache, St.	7	...	320	63	7	2	63	7	2
Gore ...	6	...	231	29	19	9	29	19	9
Grenville ...	...	...	.....	47	9	1			
Hermas, St....	4	...	175	37	17	11	37	17	11
Ile Bizarre ...	...	...	.....	19	8	10			
Scholastique, Ste. ...	12	...	390	111	12	8	111	12	8
Total.....	70	...	2565	628	8	10	506	16	10

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COUNTY OF DORCHESTER.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Anselme, St.	...	...	.....	52	12	10			
Aubers Gallion	4	...	91	25	2	6	25	2	6
Bernard, St.	...	...	.....	13	11	11			
Claire, Ste., de Joliette	...	...	.....	51	14	10			
Cranbourne...	...	...	.....	6	1	11			
Elzéar, St.	...	...	.....	41	12	1			
Frampton	...	...	.....	48	5	7			
François, St., de Beauce	10	...	336	51	19	9	51	19	9
Henri, St., de Lauzon	14	...	412	63	12	0	63	12	0
Isidore, St., de Lauzon	..	...	.....	45	1	4			
Jean, St., Chrysostôme	8	...	289	47	5	10	47	5	10
Joseph, St., de Beauce	...	...	.....	50	1	9			
Marie, Ste., de Beauce	...	...	.....	54	9	1			
" (Village of)	2	...	91	12	2	3	12	2	3
Carried over.....	37	...	1219	563	13	8	202	2	4

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COUNTY OF DORCHESTER—*Continuation.*

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Brought forward.....	37	...	1219	563	13	8	202	2	4
Metschermet	...	...	.....	12	7	2			
Marguerite, Ste.	...	...	.....	51	13	2			
Nicolas, St.	10	...	359	58	9	10	58	9	10
Pointe Lévi...	14	...	546	88	10	11	88	10	11
" (Dissentient)...	...	1	23	3	14	7	3	14	7
Premier Rang, St. Joseph...	3	...	70	14	5	1	14	5	1
Total.....	65	1	2217	792	14	5	365	2	9

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COUNTY OF DRUMMOND,

Mnnicipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 yeers of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Aston	...	...	.....	5	17	0			
Arthabaska	3	...	103	25	15	9	25	15	9
Durham	12	...	246	42	0	4	42	0	4
Grantham	...	...	.....	23	9	7			
Kingsey	9	...	235	47	10	9	47	10	9
Stanfold	3	...	101	23	19	6	23	19	6
Tingwick	...	...	.....	16	14	6			
Upton	...	...	.....	25	12	5			
Wickham	...	...	.....	7	14	10			
Total.....	27	...	685	218	14	8	139	6	4

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COUNTY OF GASPÉ.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Cap Chat	...	...	.....	14	14	11			
Cap Rosier	1	...	20	12	7	2	12	7	2
Douglas	2	...	50	13	3	8	13	3	8
Bay North	2	...	44	16	9	7	16	9	7
Bay South	1	...	19	12	7	2	12	7	2
Grand River	...	...	.....	19	15	5			
Magdalen Islands	...	...	.....	44	3	2			
Malbaie	1	...	23	14	16	7	14	16	7
Newport	...	...	.....	8	4	9			
Percé	...	...	.....	21	8	5			
Total.....	7	...	156	177	10	10	69	4	2

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COUNTY OF HUNTINGDON.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Chateauguay	5	...	236	45	11	3	45	11	3
Constant, St.	6	...	286	61	2	8	61	2	8
Cyprien, St.	10	...	535	93	6	10	93	6	10
Edouard, St.	10	...	313	62	11	11½	62	11	11½
Isidore, St.	4	...	239	49	2	0	49	2	0
Jacques, St.	5	...	225	41	17	0	41	17	0
Michel, St.	5	...	283	46	5	3	46	5	3
Lacolle	12	...	625	74	19	5	74	19	5
Laprairie	11	...	605	97	1	0	97	1	0
Philippe, St.	6	...	228	60	12	9	60	12	9
" (Dissentients)...	...	...	.....	1	12	11	1	12	11
Philomène, Ste.	5	...	272	42	18	6	42	18	6
Rémi, St.	6	...	237	58	15	9	58	15	9
" (Dissentients)	...	1	30	2	4	10	2	4	10
Valentin, St.	7	1	382	58	1	8	58	1	8
Total.....	92	2	4496	796	3	10	796	3	10

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COUNTY OF KAMOURASKA.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Hélène, Ste. / André, St.	8	...	234	78	3	8	78	3	8
Anne, Ste.	...	...	.....	64	8	7			
Denis, St.	...	...	.....	35	3	7			
Kamouraska	7	...	201	60	12	8	60	12	8
Paschal, St.	6	...	284	75	15	11	75	15	11
Rivière Ouelle	3	...	113	78	18	6	78	18	6
Total	24	...	832	393	2	11	293	10	9

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COUNTY OF L'ISLET.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Cap St. Ignace	...	...	.....	51	9	10			
Cyrille, St.	...	...	.....	17	6	0			
Isle aux Grues	2	...	107	11	13	11	11	13	11
L'Islet	3	...	62	52	12	11	52	12	11
Pierre, St., Rivière du Sud	...	...	.....	26	10	7			
Port Joli	...	...	.....	70	17	1			
Roch, St., des Aulnets	...	...	.....	64	13	6			
Thomas, St.	9	...	518	80	3	3	80	3	3
Total.....	14	...	687	375	7	1	144	10	1

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COUNTY OF LEINSTER.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Esprit, St.	7	...	192	41	8	10	41	8	10
Jacques, St.	14	...	683	128	10	5	128	10	5
Chenaie, La	3	...	110	16	16	2	16	16	2
L'Assomption	9	...	296	79	16	8	79	16	8
Lin, St.	4	...	119	64	11	10	64	11	10
Mascouche	7	...	286	50	8	5	50	8	5
Rawdon	12	...	377	61	4	3	61	4	3
Repentigny	4	...	189	38	4	6	38	4	6
Roch, St.	5	...	267	51	14	9	51	14	9
Sulpice, St.	3	...	126	20	8	8	20	8	8
Total,.....	68		2645	553	4	6	553	4	6

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COUNTY OF LOTBINIÈRE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Antoine, St.	8	...	222	66	13	0	66	13	0
Croix, Ste.	8	...	192	47	0	10	47	0	10
Deschaillons	3	...	84	27	15	3	27	15	3
Flavien, St.	...	...	.....	8	1	5			
Giles, St.	...	...	.....	27	8	9			
Lotbinière	14	...	479	67	6	2	67	6	2
Sylvestre, St.	10	...	362	85	13	8	85	13	8
Total.....	43	...	1339	329	19	1	294	8	11

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COUNTY OF MEGANTIC.

Municipalités.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Broughton	1	...	31	8	11	5	8	11	5
Halifax	6	...	170	23	9	7	23	9	7
Inverness	...	...	.....	39	9	6			
Ireland	...	...	.....	19	12	2			
Leeds	...	...	.....	29	2	8			
" (Dissentient)	...	1	40	5	11	0	5	11	0
Somerset	4	...	144	23	17	10	23	17	10
Tring	2	...	81	11	18	11	11	18	11
Forsyth	2	...	92	7	16	6	7	16	6
Lambton	3	...	161	15	11	5	15	11	5
Total.....	18	1	719	184	1	0	96	16	8

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COUNTY OF MISSISQUOI.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Dunham	22	...	508	63	10	5	63	10	5
Frelighsburg	9	...	430	31	11	1	31	11	1
Philipsburg	10	...	276	34	17	0	34	17	0
Stanbridge	17	...	509	66	8	1	66	8	1
Sutton	13	...	423	37	6	5	37	6	5
Total.....	71	...	2146	233	13	0	233	13	0

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COUNTY OF MONTMORENCI.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Côte Beaupré	2	...	65	13	6	11	13	6	11
Château Richer	3	...	114	24	6	1	24	6	1
Famille, Ste.	1	...	90	17	12	7	17	12	7
Féréol, St.									
François, St.	2	...	61	10	10	11	10	10	11
Jean, St.	3	...	180	26	10	7	26	10	7
Joachim, St.	1	...	40	14	6	9	14	6	9
L'Ange Gardien, ...	3	...	102	14	14	11	14	14	11
Laurent, St.	3	...	236	12	7	2	12	7	2
Pierre, St.	3	...	128	16	4	7	16	4	7
Total,.....	21	...	1016	150	0	6	150	0	6

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COUNTY OF MONTREAL.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Bout de l'Isle	2	...	76	18	0	10	18	0	10
City (Catholics)	9	...	400	133	8	2	133	8	2
" (Protestants)	6	...	275	69	15	1	69	15	1
Côte des Neiges	2	...	83	27	10	8	27	10	8
Côte Visitation	1	...	27	2	12	9½	2	12	9½
" (Dissentients)	...	1	28	4	10	8½	4	10	8½
Côteau St. Louis	3	...	136	15	13	6	15	13	6
Géneviève, Ste.	4	...	176	39	2	8	39	2	8
Henri, St.	2	1	91	14	17	1	14	17	1
Hochelaga	2	...	60	15	1	11	15	1	11
Lachine	3	1	153	48	7	2	48	7	2
Laurent, St...	7	1	355	60	11	1	60	11	1
Longue Pointe	3	...	66	18	19	0	18	19	0
Carried over.....	44	4	1926	466	1	8	468	10	8

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COUNTY OF MONTREAL—*Continuation.*

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Brought forward.....	44	4	1926	466	1	8	468	10	8
Pierre, St.	2	...	104	20	6	11	20	6	11
Pointe aux Trembles	2	...	76	21	18	3	21	18	3
Pointe Claire	5	...	201	33	9	0	33	9	0
Rivière des Prairies	3	...	112	17	15	11	17	15	11
Sault au Récollet	4	...	175	42	6	11	42	6	11
Total.....	60	4	2593	604	7	8	604	7	8

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COUNTY OF NICOLET.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Bécancour	13	...	556	75	19	2	75	19	2
Blandford	2	...	42	8	3	2	8	3	2
Gentilly	8	...	396	57	10	1	57	10	1
Grégoire, St...	12	...	672	77	10	6	77	10	6
Monique, Ste.	...	...	.....	44	8	2			
Nicolet	7	...	325	54	9	2	54	9	2
Pierre, St.	9	...	342	51	8	2	51	8	2
Total.....	51	...	2333	369	8	5	325	0	3

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COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Bristol	3	...	74	12	5	6	12	5	6
Buckingham	...	...	.....	25	19	1			
Clarendon	...	...	.....	29	5	0			
Eardley	...	...	.....	6	5	2			
Hall, ...	8	...	259	68	17	6	68	17	6
Litchfield	3	...	84	8	15	4	8	15	4
Lochaber	5	...	151	16	1	3	16	1	3
Onslow	...	...	.....	7	10	0	7	10	0
Petite Nation	...	...	.....	42	18	6	42	18	6
Templeton	4	...	121	19	8	10	19	8	10
Wakefield	1	...	17	11	18	11	11	18	11
Allumettes	1	...	26	8	1	0	8	1	0
Calumet	1	...	17	13	8	4	13	8	4
Total.....	26	...	749	270	14	5	158	16	8

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COUNTY OF PORTNEUF.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Ancienne Lorette	6	...	355	41	3	10	41	3	10
Augustin, St.	4	...	192	28	8	5	28	8	5
Basile, St.	...	...	.....	16	9	6			
Cap Santé	9	...	306	66	3	2	66	3	2
Casimir, St....	4	...	100	16	9	6	16	9	6
Catherine, Ste.	...	...	.....	43	0	2			
Deschambault	6	...	250	42	6	11	42	6	11
Ecureuils	1	...	74	10	12	6	10	12	6
Grondines	5	...	153	26	7	4	26	7	4
Pointe-aux-Trembles	4	...	181	37	8	1	37	8	1
Raymond, St.	3	...	109	23	16	3	23	16	3
Total.....	42	...	1720	352	5	8	292	16	0

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COUNTY OF QUEBEC.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissenticut.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Ambroise, St.	8	...	378	49	7	0	49	7	0
Beauport	6	..	283	47	0	10	47	0	10
City (Catholics)	15	...	1767	288	3	2	288	3	2
" (Protestants)	4	...	185	95	8	8	95	8	8
Charlesbourg	5	...	183	36	19	10	36	19	10
Dunstan, St.	...	...	.....	8	18	2			
Foye, Ste.	2	...	83	29	13	3	29	13	3
Roch, St.	...	...	.....	23	17	11			
Stadacona	...	...	.....	30	17	11			
Stoneham	...	1	46	8	19	8	3	15	9
Valcartier	...	...	.....	30	19	8			
Total	40	1	2925	650	6	1	550	8	6

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COUNTY OF RICHELIEU.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Aimé, St.	7	...	250	73	16	5	73	16	5
Bourg de Sorel	2	...	380	47	19	10	47	19	10
Barnabé, St...	2	...	119	31	16	0	31	16	0
Charles, St....	4	...	142	33	4	1	33	4	1
Denis, St.	9	...	4 7	63	7	1	63	7	1
Jude, St.	5	...	118	31	6	2	31	6	2
Ours, St.	6	...	294	67	7	10	67	7	10
Sorel	12	...	335	57	15	9	57	15	9
" (Dissentients)...	..	2	97	11	17	4	11	17	4
Victoire, Ste.	3	...	119	52	14	6	52	14	6
Total.....	50	2	2261	471	5	0	471	5	0

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COUNTY OF RIMOUSKI.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 yeers of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Bic	3	...	70	17	6	0	17	6	0
Isle Verte	5	...	190	57	18	4	57	18	4
Kakouna—St. Arsène	5	...	246	48	6	4½	48	6	4½
" St. George	2	...	120	33	11	5½	33	11	5½
Lessard	4	...	132	27	12	0	27	12	0
Lepage	...	...	.....	21	3	6			
Matane	...	...	.....	11	17	3			
Métis	3	...	66	8	6	5	8	6	5
Rimouski	10	...	340	65	11	7	65	11	7
Rivière du Loup	6	...	204	69	7	4	69	7	4
Simon, St.	6	...	172	34	15	4	34	15	4
Trois Pistoles	8	...	263	65	11	7	65	11	7
Total.....	52	...	1803	461	7	2	428	6	5

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COUNTY OF ROUVILLE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Athanase, St.	14	2	637	107	7	0	107	7	0
Brigite, Ste.	5	...	227	26	13	10	26	13	10
Clarenceville	9	...	321	27	18	7	27	18	7
Foucault	6	...	169	23	7	11	23	7	11
Grégoire, St.	5	...	245	51	14	9	51	14	9
Henriville	17	...	527	87	11	7	87	11	7
Jean Baptiste, St.	7	...	229	47	5	9	47	5	9
Marie, Ste.	8	...	417	107	2	1	107	2	1
Mathias, St.	5	...	191	49	0	5	49	0	5
Rouville, ...	4	...	146	28	3	6	28	3	6
Total.....	80	2	3109	556	5	5	556	5	5

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COUNTY OF SAGUENAY.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'.	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s	d.
Agnès, Ste. ...	3	...	103	24	19	3	24	19	3
Bagot ...	1	...	26	27	3	9	27	3	9
Baie St. Paul	11	...	382	75	9	4	75	9	4
Chicoutimi ...	2	...	82	12	7	2	12	7	2
Eboulements	4	...	175	45	17	9	45	17	9
Irénée, St. ...	1	...	58	19	18	9	19	18	9
Isle aux Coudres	4	...	121	16	4	7	16	4	7
Malbaie ...	5	...	150	77	2	3	77	2	3
Petite Rivière	1	...	34	9	16	1	9	16	1
Tadoussac ...	...	...	.....	6	10	2			
Urbain, St. ...	4	...	74	19	18	9	19	18	9
Total.....	36	...	1205	335	7	10	328	17	8

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COUNTY OF ST. HYACINTHE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Abbottsford	5	...	86	7	9	11	7	9	11
Césaire, St	16	...	611	103	9	7	103	9	7
Damase, St...	10	...	298	66	1	6	66	1	6
Dominique, St.	5	...	197	22	13	1	22	13	1
Hugues, St....	5	...	225	35	13	6	35	13	6
Hyacinthe, St.	19	...	554	92	12	1	92	12	1
Pie, St.	13	...	448	48	17	1	48	17	1
La Présentation	4	...	191	35	3	7	35	3	7
Rosalie, Ste.	3	...	118	31	4	6	31	4	6
Simon, St.	4	...	293	33	5	8	33	5	8
Total.....	84	...	2931	476	10	6	476	10	6

COUNTY OF ST. MAURICE.

Mnnicipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowonce of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Dumontier	9	...	357	66	9	9	66	9	9
Gatineau	6	...	162	37	13	0	37	13	0
Maskinongé	10	...	461	80	16	5	80	16	5
Pointe du Lac	5	...	221	31	1	2	31	1	2
Rivière du Loup	9	...	389	62	13	11	62	13	11
Trois-Rivières, (Town)	3	...	121	63	5	6	63	5	6
Do (Banlieue)	3	...	81	27	3	9	27	3	9
Ursule, Ste.	6	...	95	39	4	3	39	4	3
Yamachiche	16	...	657	79	5	1	79	5	1
Total.....	67	...	2544	487	12	10	487	12	10

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COUNTY OF SHEFFORD.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Brome	18	...	483	39	17	6	39	17	6
Ely	...	...	.....	9	16	1			
Farnham	14	...	406	46	11	0	46	11	0
Granby	13	...	298	31	6	1½	31	6	1½
" (Dissentients)	...	1	59	3	10	10½	3	10	10½
Milton	4	2	183	23	1	4	23	1	4
Shefford	15	...	437	39	14	2	39	14	2
" (Dissentients)	...	1	32	4	9	0	4	9	0
Stukeley	...	...	.....	22	3	3			
Total.....	64	4	1898	220	9	4	188	10	0

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COUNTY OF SHERBROOKE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Ascot	12	...	321	54	9	1	54	9	1
Brompton	...	...	.....	8	9	9			
Bury...	3	...	76	28	3	6	28	3	6
Compton	15	...	697	52	12	10	52	12	10
Dudswell	5	...	82	10	14	2	10	14	2
Eaton	10	...	368	45	9	6	45	9	6
Hereford	4	...	58	16	11	2	16	11	2
Melbourne	11	...	218	35	0	4	35	0	4
Shipton	15	...	298	51	13	2	51	13	2
Windsor	...	...	.....	5	18	8			
Total.....	75	...	2118	309	2	2	294	13	9

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COUNTY OF STANSTEAD.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Barnston	22	...	400	62	12	3	62	12	3
Bolton	14	...	320	34	2	2	34	2	2
Potton	12	...	242	29	14	11	29	14	11
Hatley	13	...	342	41	15	4	41	15	4
Stanstead	30	...	954	85	18	7	85	18	7
Total.....	91	...	2258	254	3	3	254	3	3

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COUNTY OF TERREBONNE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Anne, Ste., des Plaines	3	...	172	36	5	0	36	5	0
François, St., de Sales	3	...	95	19	8	10	19	8	10
Jérôme, St....	8	...	186	72	19	10	72	19	10
" No. 4									
Janvier, St.	...	...	.....	14	5	1			
" No. 2	1	...	47	5	8	9	5	8	9
" Village	2	...	81	10	10	11	10	10	11
Terrebonne	3	..	119	37	9	9	37	9	9
Lacorne	4	...	155	26	15	6	26	15	6
Martin, St.	5	...	296	52	7	4½	52	7	4½
Rose, Ste.	8	...	298	54	7	6	54	7	6
Thérèse, Ste.	5	...	185	59	12	10½	59	12	10½
" Dissentients	...	1	40	2	19	4½	2	19	4½
Vincent de Paul, St...	5	...	223	45	9	6	45	9	6
Côte St. Elzéar	1	...	38	8	6	6	8	6	6
Bord de l'Eau	1	...	38	9	1	3	9	1	3
Mille Isles	3	...	172	11	18	11½	11	18	11½
Total.....	52	1	2145	467	7	6	453	2	5

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COUNTY OF VAUDREUIL.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Nombre d'enfants de 5 à 16 ans fréquentant les écoles.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Côteau du Lac	8	...	311	68	15	10	68	15	10
Isle Perrot	2	...	63	23	1	4	23	1	4
Marthe, Ste...	4	...	162	26	15	6	26	15	6
Newton	2	...	42	9	6	3	9	6	3
New Longueuil	7	...	289	62	7	5	62	7	5
" (Dissentients)	...	1	45	4	18	10	4	18	10
Rigaud	9	...	385	69	12	4	69	12	4
" (Dissentients)	...	1	57	1	17	11	1	17	11
Soulanges	5	...	262	47	19	0	47	19	0
Vaudreuil	9	...	347	69	10	8	69	10	8
Zotique, St....	3	...	145	31	19	3	31	19	3
Total.....	49	2	2108	416	4	4	416	4	4

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COUNTY OF VERCHÈRES.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Antoine, St...	5	...	166	33	13	11	33	13	11
Belœil	5	...	281	43	18	3	43	18	3
Contrecœur...	4	...	219	44	6	6	44	6	6
Marc, St.	3	...	170	24	9	4	24	9	4
Varennes	8	...	287	86	0	3	86	0	3
Verchères	3	...	195	51	11	6	51	11	6
Total.....	28	...	1318	283	19	9	283	19	9

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COUNTY OF YAMASKA.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Baie du Febvre	10	...	396	73	18	0	73	18	0
David, St.	6	...	283	52	1	5	52	1	5
François du Lac, St.	14	...	512	87	18	1	87	18	1
Yamaska	...	...	.....	53	16	0			
Séphyrin, St.	...	...	.....	16	14	6			
Total.....	30	...	1191	284	8	0	213	17	6

RECAPITULATION for the last six months of 1849.

Counties.	Amount allotted.			Amounts granted.			Schools.		Number of children.
							Commissioners'	Dissentient.	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Beauharnais	683	7	10	683	7	10	114	4	4887
Bellechasse	312	8	2	237	8	9½	40	...	1382
Berthier	592	15	5	569	17	4	60	1	2506
Bonaventure	167	14	9	159	10	0	16	1	517
Chambly	400	11	3	400	11	3	39	2	2110
Champlain	224	13	4	166	16	7	23	...	880
Deux-Montagnes	628	8	10	506	16	10	70	...	2565
Dorchester	792	14	5	365	2	9	65	1	2217
Drummond	218	14	8	139	6	4	27	...	685
Gaspé	177	10	10	69	4	2	7	...	156
Huntingdon...	796	3	10	796	3	10	92	2	4496
Kamouraska	393	2	11	293	10	9	24	...	832
L'Islet	375	7	1	144	10	1	14	...	687
Leinster	553	4	6	553	4	6	68	...	2645
Lotbinière	329	19	1	294	8	11	43	...	1339
Megantic	184	1	0	96	16	8	18	1	719
Missisquoi	233	13	0	233	13	0	71	...	2146
Montmorency	164	3	11	150	0	6	21	...	1016
Montreal	604	7	8	604	7	8	60	4	2593

Nicolet	369	8	5	325	0	3	51	...	2333
Ottawa	270	14	5	158	16	8	26	...	749
Portneuf	352	5	8	292	16	0	42	...	1720
Québec	650	6	1	550	8	6	40	1	2925
Richelieu	471	5	0	471	5	0	50	2	2261
Rimouski	461	7	2	428	6	5	52	...	1803
Rouville	556	5	5	556	5	5	80	2	3109
Saguenay	335	7	10	328	17	8	36	...	1205
St. Hyacinthe	476	10	6	476	10	6	84	...	2931
St. Maurice	487	12	10	487	12	10	67	...	2544
Shefford	220	9	4	188	10	0	64	4	1898
Sherbrooke	309	2	2	294	13	9	75	...	2118
Stanstead	254	3	3	254	3	3	91	...	2258
Terrebonne	467	7	6	453	2	5½	52	1	2145
Vaudreuil	416	4	4	416	4	4	49	2	2108
Verchères	283	19	9	283	19	9	28	...	1318
Yamaska	284	8	0	213	17	6	30	...	1191
Total..... £	14500	0	0	12645	8	0	1789	28	68994

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COUNTY OF BEAUHARNAIS.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Anicet, St.	13	...	228	32	6	3½	32	6	3½
" Dissentients	...	1	15	2	2	6½	2	2	6½
Clément, St.	9	2	608	66	6	5	66	6	5
Dundee	6	...	171	34	7	2	34	7	2
Elgin	3	...	94	26	5	6½	26	5	6½
Godmanchester	11	...	465	59	11	11½	59	11	11½
" Dissentients	...	1	33	3	1	6	3	1	6
Hemmingford	19	...	520	71	3	7	71	3	7
Hinchinbrooke	15	...	442	40	16	1	40	16	1
Martine, Ste.	10	...	456	76	19	11	76	19	11
" Dissentients...	...	1	28	4	14	7	4	14	7
Ormstown	14	...	731	74	4	2	74	4	2
" Dissentients	...	3	126	12	15	10	12	15	10
Russelltown	12	...	538	66	13	0	66	13	0
Timothée, St.	8	...	428	80	13	1	80	13	1
Urbain, St.	3	...	181	26	4	8½	26	4	8½
" Dissentients	...	1	35	5	1	5½	5	1	5½
Total.....	123	9	5099	683	7	10	683	7	10

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COUNTY OF BELLECHASSE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Beaumont	4	...	128	22	18	1	22	18	1
Berthier	3	...	108	21	15	0	21	15	0
Charles, St....	9	...	346	49	10	3	49	10	3
François, St...	8	...	215	32	12	6	32	12	6
Gervais, St....	14	...	440	81	3	0	81	3	0
Lazarre, St....	...	...	.....	14	16	7			
Michel, St.	...	...	.....	27	10	4			
" Village	3	...	147	16	9	6½	16	9	6½
Standon	1	...	31	4	15	7	4	15	7
Valier, St.	6	...	233	40	17	3	40	17	3
Total.....	48	...	1648	312	8	2½	270	1	2½

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COUNTY OF BERTHIER.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Barthélemi, St.	5	...	226	38	17	8	38	17	8
Berthier	8	...	502	102	16	5	102	16	5
Brandon	...	...	.....	22	18	1			
Cuthbert, St.	7	...	280	60	9	5	60	9	5
Elisabeth, Ste.	6	...	400	61	12	6	61	12	6
Félix, St., de Valois	4	...	157	36	19	10	36	19	10
Isle-du-Pads	2	...	85	21	18	4	21	18	4
Industrie	5	...	228	36	13	3	36	13	3
Kildare	5	1	258	43	1	9	43	1	9
Lanoraie	4	...	140	35	5	3	35	5	3
Lavaltrie	4	...	143	30	9	8	30	9	8
D'Aillebout	3	...	80	23	16	2	23	16	2
Paul, St.	4	...	138	49	5	4	49	5	4
Thomas, St.	2	...	110	28	11	9	28	11	9
Total.....	59	1	2747	592	15	5	569	17	4

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COUNTY OF BONAVENTURE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Carleton	3	...	109	22	13	1	22	13	1
Cox	3	...	80	21	16	8	21	16	8
Hamilton	3	...	109	21	0	2	21	0	2
Hope	2	...	62	21	1	10	21	1	10
Maria	2	...	56	21	0	2	21	0	2
Mann	...	...	.....	8	4	9			
Matapédiac...	1	...	24	6	11	10	6	11	10
New Richmond	3	...	68	14	10	11	14	10	11
" (Dissentients)	...	1	36	7	14	0	7	14	0
Port Daniel...	2	...	101	16	9	6	16	9	6
Shoolbred	2	...	15	6	11	10	6	11	10
Total.....	21	1	660	167	14	9	159	10	0

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COUNTY OF CHAMBLY.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Blairfindie	5	1	266	52	4	8	52	4	8
Boucherville	5	...	297	58	14	10	58	14	10
Bruno, St.	2	...	129	15	19	8	15	19	8
Chambly	10	...	519	94	16	6	94	16	6
Jean, St.	6	1	389	72	16	7	72	16	7
Longueuil	10	1	547	80	1	7	80	1	7
Luc, St.	2	...	92	25	17	5	25	17	5
Total.....	40	3	2239	411	3	0	411	3	0

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COUNTY OF CHAMPLAIN.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
La Pérade	10	...	324	52	6	3	52	6	3
Batiscan	2	...	191	18	4	2	18	4	2
Cap La Magdeleine	3	...	120	21	16	8	21	16	8
Geneviève, Ste.	4	...	158	41	2	2	41	2	2
Maurice, St.	...	...	.....	16	9	7			
Prosper, St....									
Stanislas, St.	...	...	.....	41	7	2			
Champlain	4	...	166	33	7	4	33	7	4
Total.....	23	...	959	224	13	4	166	16	7

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COUNTY OF TWO MOUNTAINS.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Argenteuil	17	...	599	92	0	6	92	0	6
Augustin, St.	...	...	.....	54	14	1			
Benoît, St.	10	1	456	96	19	5	96	19	5
Chatham	12	...	328	50	11	9	50	11	9
Colomban, St.	4	...	136	24	7	8	24	7	8
Eustache, St.	6	...	308	63	7	2	63	7	2
Gore	6	...	231	29	19	9	29	19	9
Grenville	...	...	.....	47	9	1			
Hermas, St....	4	...	200	37	17	11	37	17	11
Marie, Ste., Côte									
Placide, Ste.									
Nord de l'Ile Bizarre	...	...	.....	8	15	9½			
Sud de "	1	...	48	10	13	0½	10	13	0½
Scholastique, Ste.	11	...	394	98	0	10	98	0	10
Total.....	71	1	2720	614	17	0	503	18	0½

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COUNTY OF DORCHESTER.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Anselme, St.	8	...	221	52	12	10	52	12	10
Aubert Gallion	4	...	92	25	2	6	25	2	6
Bernard, St.	...	...	.....	13	11	11			
Claire, Ste., de Joliette	...	...	.....	51	14	10			
Cranbourne...	...	...	.....	6	1	11			
Elzéar, St.	...	...	.....	41	12	1			
Frampton	7	...	232	48	5	7	48	5	7
François, St.	9	...	327	51	19	9	51	19	9
Henri, St., de Lauzon	10	...	417	63	12	0	63	12	0
Isidore, St., de Lauzon	..	...	.....	45	1	4			
Jean, St., Chrysostôme	8	...	264	47	5	10	47	5	10
Joseph, St., de Beauce	...	...	.....	28	1	10			
" Premier Rang	3	...	78	14	5	1	14	5	1
Marie, Ste., de Beauce	...	...	.....	54	9	1½			
Carried forward.....	49	...	1631	533	16	5½	303	3	7

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COUNTY OF DORCHESTER—*Continuation.*

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Brought forward.....	49	...	1631	533	16	5½	303	3	7
Marie, Ste. (Village of)	1	...	40	12	2	3	12	2	3
Metschermet	...	...	.....	12	7	2			
Nicolas, St.	10	...	341	58	9	10	58	9	10
Pointe Lévi...	14	...	546	88	10	11	88	10	11
Ville d'Aubigny									
" (Dissentients)	...	1	23	3	14	7	3	14	7
Frédéric, St.	5	...	167	24	19	3	24	19	3
Marguerite, Ste.	...	...	.....	51	13	2			
Total.....	79	1	2748	795	13	9	491	0	5

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COUNTY OF DRUMMOND.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Aston	...	...	.....	5	17	0			
Arthabaska	...	...	.....	25	15	9			
Durham	10	...	229	42	0	4	42	0	4
Grantham	...	...	.....	23	9	7			
Kingsey	10	...	274	47	10	9	47	10	9
Stanfold	3	...	124	23	19	6	23	19	6
Tingwick	...	...	.....	16	14	6			
Upton	...	...	.....	25	12	5			
Wickham	...	...	.....	7	14	10			
Total	23	...	627	218	14	8	113	10	7

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COUNTY OF GASPÉ.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Cap Chat	...	...	.....	14	14	11			
Cap Rosier	2	...	40	12	7	2	12	7	2
Douglas	3	...	82	13	3	8	13	3	8
Fox et Griffin's Cove									
Grand River	...	...	.....	19	15	5			
Bay North	2	...	47	16	9	7	16	9	7
Bay South	1	...	28	12	7	2	12	7	2
Magdalen Islands	...	...	.....	44	3	2			
Malbaie	1	...	36	14	16	7	14	16	7
Newport	...	...	.....	8	4	9			
Percé	...	...	.....	21	8	5			
Total.....	9	...	233	177	10	10	69	4	2

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COUNTY OF HUNTINGDON.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Chateauguay	5	...	230	45	11	3	45	11	3
Constant, St.	6	...	341	61	2	8	61	2	8
Cyprien, St.	9	...	430	93	6	10½	93	6	10½
Edouard, St.	9	...	400	62	11	11½	62	11	11½
Isidore, St.	4	...	267	49	2	0	49	2	0
Jacques, St., le Mineur	4	...	214	41	17	1	41	17	1
Lacolle	17	...	621	74	19	5	74	19	5
Laprairie	9	...	528	97	1	0	97	1	0
Michel, St.	5	...	303	46	5	3	46	5	3
Philippe, St.	7	...	264	62	5	8	62	5	8
Philomène, Ste.	5	...	272	42	18	6	42	18	6
Rémi, St.	5	...	289	54	11	11½	54	11	11½
" (Dissentients)	...	1	34	6	8	5½	6	8	5½
Valentin, St.	7	...	398	58	1	8	58	1	8
Total.....	92	1	4591	796	3	8	796	3	8

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COUNTY OF KAMOURASKA.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
André, St. ...	9	...	273	69	18	11	69	18	11
Anne, Ste. ...	...	...	.....	64	8	7			
Denis, St. ...	5	...	140	35	3	7	35	3	7
Kamouraska	7	...	200	56	10	4	56	10	4
Paschal, St....	9	...	335	67	16	1	67	16	1
Rivière Ouelle	2	...	74	78	18	6	78	18	6
Hélène, Ste.	...	...	.....	20	7	0			
Total.....	32	...	1022	393	3	0	308	7	6

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COUNTY OF L'ISLET.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Cap St. Ignace	...	...	.....	51	9	10			
Cyrille, St.	...	...	.....	17	6	0			
Isle aux Grues	2	...	113	11	13	11	11	13	11
L'Islet	...	...	.....	52	12	11			
Pierre, St., Rivière du Sud	...	...	.....	26	10	7			
Port Joli	...	...	.....	70	17	1			
Roch, St., des Aulnets	...	...	.....	64	13	6			
Thomas, St.	9	...	524	80	3	3	80	3	3
Total.....	11	...	637	375	7	1	91	17	2

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COUNTY OF LEINSTER.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Esprit, St.	7	...	236	41	8	10	41	8	10
Jacques, St.	14	...	815	128	10	5	128	10	5
Chenaie, La	3	...	131	16	16	2	16	16	2
L'Assomption, Parish and Village	13	...	404	79	16	8	79	16	8
Lin, St.	4	...	148	62	17	2½	62	17	2½
Mascouche	7	...	286	50	8	5	50	8	5
Rawdon	8	...	320	39	14	2	39	14	2
Julienne, Ste.	4	...	101	23	4	8	23	4	8
Repentigny	4	...	218	38	4	6	38	4	6
Roch, St.	5	...	277	51	14	9	51	14	9
Sulpice, St.	3	...	126	20	8	8	20	8	8
Total,.....	72	...	3062	553	4	5½	553	4	5½

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COUNTY OF LOTBINIÈRE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Antoine, St., de Tilly	8	...	222	66	13	0	66	13	0
Croix, Ste.	8	...	192	47	0	10	47	0	10
Deschaillons	3	...	99	27	15	3	27	15	3
Flavien, St.	...	...	.....	8	1	5			
Giles, St.	...	...	.....	27	8	9			
Lotbinière	14	...	509	67	6	2	67	6	2
Sylvestre, St.	13	...	414	85	13	8	85	13	8
Total.....	46	...	1436	329	19	1	294	8	11

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COUNTY OF MEGANTIC.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Broughton	1	...	37	5	12	1	8	11	5
Forsyth	...	...	.....	7	16	6			
Halifax	8	...	170	23	9	7	23	9	7
Inverness	...	...	.....	38	9	6			
Ireland	...	...	.....	19	12	2			
Lambton	...	...	.....	15	11	5			
Leeds	...	...	.....	30	12	0			
" (Dissentients)	...	1	28	4	1	8	4	1	8
Somerset	5	...	170	23	17	10	23	17	10
Tring	2	...	81	11	18	11	11	18	11
Total.....	16	1	486	181	1	8	71	19	5

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COUNTY OF MISSISQUOI.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Dunham	21	...	471	63	10	5	63	10	5
Frelighsburg	9	...	430	31	11	1	31	11	1
Philipsburg	11	...	329	34	17	0	34	17	0
Stanbridge	19	...	635	66	8	1	66	8	1
Sutton	12	...	443	37	6	5	37	6	5
Total.....	72	...	2308	233	13	0	233	13	0

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COUNTY OF MONTMORENCY.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Côte Beaupré	2	...	60	13	6	11	13	6	11
Château Richer	4	...	124	24	6	1	24	6	1
Famille, Ste.	1	...	100	17	12	7	17	12	7
Féréol, St.	...	...	.....	14	3	5			
François, St.	2	...	64	10	10	11	10	10	11
Jean, St.	3	...	181	26	10	7	26	10	7
Joachim, St.	1	...	40	14	6	9	14	6	9
Laurent, St.	3	...	234	12	7	2	12	7	2
L'Ange Gardien, ...	3	...	106	14	14	11	14	14	11
Pierre, St.	3	...	134	16	4	7	16	4	7
Total,.....	22	...	1043	164	3	11	150	0	6

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COUNTY OF MONTREAL.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Anne, Ste., Bout de l'Isle	2	...	82	18	0	10	18	0	10
Cité (Catholics)	10	...	494	133	8	2	133	8	2
" (Protestants)	6	...	274	69	15	1	69	15	1
Côte des Neiges	2	...	92	27	10	8	27	10	8
Côte Visitation	1	...	34	4	16	6	4	16	6
" (Dissentients)	...	1	27	2	7	0	2	7	0
Côteau St. Louis	3	...	188	15	13	6	15	13	6
Geneviève, Ste.	4	...	179	39	2	8	39	2	8
Henri, St.	2	...	111	14	17	1	14	17	1
Hochelaga	2	...	77	15	1	11	15	1	11
Lachine	3	1	181	48	7	2	48	7	2
Laurent, St...	8	1	337	60	11	1	60	11	1
Longue Pointe	3	...	97	18	19	0	18	19	0
Carried forward.....	46	3	2173	468	10	8	468	10	8

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COUNTY OF MONTREAL—*Continuation.*

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowonce of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Brought forward.....	46	3	2173	468	10	8	468	10	8
Pierre, St.	2	...	103	20	6	11	20	6	11
Pointe aux Trembles	2	...	83	21	18	3	21	18	3
Pointe Claire	5	...	175	33	9	0	33	9	0
Rivière des Prairies	3	...	129	17	15	11	17	15	11
Sault au Récollet	4	...	228	42	6	11	42	6	11
Total.....	62	3	2891	604	7	8	604	7	8

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COUNTY OF NICOLET.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Bécancour	13	...	640	75	19	2	75	19	2
Blandford	2	...	36	8	3	2	8	3	2
Gentilly	8	...	424	57	10	1	57	10	1
Grégoire, St...	12	...	693	78	8	7½	78	8	7½
Monique, Ste.	...	...	.....	44	8	2			
Nicolet	10	...	367	53	11	0½	53	11	0½
Pierre, St., les Becquets	9	...	292	51	8	2	51	8	2
Total.....	54	...	2452	369	8	5	325	0	3

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COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Allumettes	1	...	24	8	1	0	8	1	0
Bristol	3	...	94	12	5	6	12	5	6
Buckingham	...	...	.....	24	2	5			
" (Dissentients)	...	1	12	1	16	8	1	16	8
Clarendon	...	...	.....	29	5	0			
Calumet	1	...	20	13	8	4	13	8	4
Eardley	...	...	.....	6	5	2			
Hall, ...	11	...	335	68	17	6	68	17	6
Litchfield	3	...	92	8	15	4	8	15	4
Lochaber	6	...	157	16	1	3	16	1	3
Onslow	...	...	.....	7	10	0			
Petite Nation	...	...	.....	42	18	6			
Templeton	3	...	91	19	8	10	19	8	10
Aylmer Village									
Waterloo Village									
Wakefield	1	...	24	11	18	11	11	18	11
Total.....	29	1	849	270	14	5	160	13	4

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COUNTY OF PORTNEUF.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Ancienne Lorette	6	...	313	41	3	10	41	3	10
Augustin, St.	4	...	172	28	8	5	28	8	5
Basile, St.	...	...	.....	16	9	6			
Cap Santé	8	...	287	66	3	2	66	3	2
Cap Rouge									
Casimir, St....	4	...	100	16	9	6	16	9	6
Catherine, Ste.	...	...	.....	43	0	2			
Deschambault	6	...	272	42	6	11	42	6	11
Ecureuils	1	...	68	10	12	6	10	12	6
Grondines	5	...	153	26	7	4	26	7	4
Pointe-aux-Trembles	4	...	221	37	8	1	37	8	1
Raymond, St.	3	...	118	23	16	3	23	16	3
Total.....	41	...	1704	352	5	8	292	16	0

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COUNTY OF QUEBEC.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Ambroise, St.	8	...	308	49	7	0	49	7	0
Beauport	6	...	311	47	0	10	47	0	10
City (Catholics)	15	...	1767	288	3	2	288	3	2
" (Protestants)	4	...	185	95	8	8	95	8	8
Charlesbourg	5	...	258	36	19	10	36	19	10
Dunstan, St.	...	...	.....	8	18	2			
Foye, Ste.	2	...	91	29	13	3	29	13	3
Roch, St.	...	...	.....	23	17	11			
Stadacona	...	...	.....	30	17	11			
Stoneham	1	...	46	8	19	8	3	15	10
Valcartier	...	...	.....	30	19	8			
Total	41	...	2966	650	6	1	550	8	7

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COUNTY OF RICHELIEU.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Aimé, St.	7	...	330	73	16	5	73	16	5
Barnabé, St...	3	...	141	31	16	0	31	16	0
Sorel (Parish of)	10	...	274	57	15	9½	57	15	9½
Charles, St....	4	...	148	33	4	1	33	4	1
Denis, St.	9	...	444	63	7	1	63	7	1
Jude, St.	5	...	120	31	6	2	31	6	2
Ours, St.	6	...	302	67	7	10	67	7	10
Sorel (Village of)	3	...	547	47	19	10	47	19	10
" (Dissentients)	...	1	90	11	17	4	11	17	4
Victoire, Ste.	3	...	123	52	14	6	52	14	6
Total.....	50	1	2519	471	5	0½	471	5	0½

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COUNTY OF RIMOUSKI.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Bic	3	...	85	17	6	0	17	6	0
Isle Verte	7	...	225	43	3	5	43	3	5
Kakouna—St. Arsène	5	...	293	48	6	4½	48	6	4½
" St. George	3	...	150	33	11	5½	33	11	5½
Lessard	4	...	104	27	12	0	27	12	0
Lepage	...	...	.....	21	3	6			
Matane	...	...	.....	11	17	3			
Métis	3	...	66	8	6	5	8	6	5
Rimouski	9	...	283	65	11	7	65	11	7
Rivière du Loup	6	...	204	69	7	4	69	7	4
Eloi, St.	...	...	.....	26	0	8			
Simon, St.	5	...	162	34	15	4	34	15	4
Trois Pistoles	8	...	279	54	5	10	54	5	10
Village St. Edouard									
Total.....	53	...	1851	461	7	2	402	5	9

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COUNTY OF ROUVILLE.

Municipalities.	Schools		Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada.			Amount granted.		
	Commissioners'	Dissentient.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Athanase, St.	15	...	475	99	0	2	99	0	2
" (Dissentients)	...	2	40	8	6	10	8	6	10
Brigite, Ste.	5	...	284	26	13	10	26	13	10
Clarenceville	9	...	321	27	18	7	27	18	7
Foucault	6	...	163	23	7	11	23	7	11
Grégoire, St.	5	...	288	51	14	9	51	14	9
Henriville	17	...	573	87	11	7	87	11	7
Jean Baptiste, St.	6	...	289	47	5	9	47	5	9
Marie, Ste.	8	...	498	107	2	1	107	2	1
Mathias, St.	5	...	220	49	0	5	49	0	5
Rouville, ...	4	...	145	28	3	6	28	3	6
Total.....	80	2	3296	556	5	5	556	5	5

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COUNTY OF SAGUENAY.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Agnès, Ste. ...	3	...	103	24	19	3	24	19	3
Bagot ...	6	...	211	27	3	9	27	3	9
Baie St. Paul	11	...	382	75	9	4	75	9	4
Chicoutimi ...	2	...	80	12	7	2	12	7	2
Eboulements	4	...	175	45	17	9	45	17	9
Irénée, St. ...	1	...	55	19	18	9	19	18	9
Isle aux Coudres	4	...	137	16	4	7	16	4	7
Malbaie ...	5	...	145	77	2	3	77	2	3
Petite Rivière	1	...	49	9	16	1	9	13	1
La Terrière ...									
Tadoussac ...	...	...	.....	6	10	2			
Urbain, St. ...	4	...	88	19	18	9	19	18	9
Total.....	41	...	1425	335	7	10	328	17	8

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COUNTY OF ST. HYACINTHE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Abbottsford	5	...	83	7	9	11	7	9	11
Césaire, St.	17	...	629	103	9	7	103	9	7
Damase, St.	10	...	298	66	1	6	66	1	6
Dominique, St.	3	...	119	22	13	1	22	13	1
Hugues, St.	5	...	249	35	13	6	35	13	6
Hyacinthe, St.	19	...	583	92	12	1	92	12	1
Pie, St.	13	...	421	48	17	1	48	17	1
Présentation, La	4	...	221	35	3	7	35	3	7
Rosalie, Ste.	3	...	143	31	4	6	31	4	6
Simon, St.	4	...	200	33	5	8	33	5	8
Total	83	...	2946	476	10	6	476	10	6

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COUNTY OF ST. MAURICE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Dumontier	11	...	363	66	9	9	66	9	9
Gatineau	6	...	143	37	13	0	37	13	0
Maskinongé	9	...	453	80	16	5	80	16	5
Pointe du Lac	5	...	221	31	1	2	31	1	2
Rivière du Loup	9	...	393	62	13	11	62	13	11
Three Rivers (Town)	3	...	136	63	5	6	63	5	6
Do (Banlieue)	3	...	94	27	3	9	27	3	9
Ursule, Ste.	6	...	209	39	4	3	39	4	3
Yamachiche	16	...	591	79	5	1	79	5	1
Total.....	68	...	2603	487	12	10	487	12	10

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COUNTY OF SHEFFORD.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Brome	18	...	523	39	17	6	39	17	6
Ely	...	...	.....	9	16	1			
Farnham	15	...	445	46	11	0	46	11	0
Granby	13	...	452	34	17	0	34	17	0
Milton	4	...	140	13	2	7	13	2	7
" (Dissentients)	...	4	106	9	18	9	9	18	9
Shefford	11	2	399	44	3	2	44	3	2
Stukeley	...	...	.....	22	3	3			
Total.....	61	6	2065	220	9	4	188	10	0

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COUNTY OF SHERBROOKE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Ascot	13	...	348	54	9	1	54	9	1
Brompton	...	...	.....	8	9	9			
Bury	7	...	189	28	3	6	28	3	6
Compton	15	...	697	52	12	10	52	12	10
Dudswell	5	...	103	10	14	2	10	14	2
Eaton	14	...	379	45	9	6	45	9	6
Hereford	...	...	.....	16	11	2			
Melbourne	11	...	218	35	0	4	35	0	4
Shipton	13	...	281	51	13	2	51	13	2
Windsor	3	...	55	5	18	8	5	18	8
Total.....	81	...	2270	309	2	2	284	1	3

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COUNTY OF STANSTEAD.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Barnston	20	...	656	62	12	3	62	12	3
Bolton	8	...	231	28	11	9	28	11	9
Hatley	13	...	379	35	15	1½	35	15	1½
Potton	12	...	293	29	14	11	29	14	11
Magog	6	...	124	11	10	8	11	10	8
Stanstead	30	...	937	85	18	7	85	18	7
Total.....	89	...	2620	254	3	3½	254	3	3½

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COUNTY OF TERREBONNE.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Anne, Ste., des Plaines	4	...	194	36	5	0	36	5	0
Bord de l'Eau	1	...	48	9	1	3	9	1	3
Bord de l'Eau, Bas de	1	...	35	7	18	2	7	18	2
" Haut du	7	...	35	6	5	9½	6	5	9½
Côte St. Elzéar	1	...	48	8	6	5½	8	6	5½
" St. Antoine	...	...	.....	5	7	1½			
Bas de St. Martin	1	...	28	7	16	6	7	16	6
Village "	2	...	100	13	14	7	13	14	7
Haut de "	1	...	37	11	5	9	11	5	9
Lacorne	4	...	156	26	15	6	26	15	6
François, St., de Sales	3	...	88	19	8	10	19	8	10
Jérôme, St....	1	...	38	69	9	8½	69	9	8½
" No. 4	1	...	58	21	5	11½	21	5	11½
Janvier, St.	...	...	.....	14	5	1			
" Village	2	...	80	10	10	11	10	10	11

Janvier, St., No. 2	1	...	47	5	8	9	5	8	9
Vincent de Paul, St...	5	...	240	45	9	6	45	9	6
Rose, Ste.	7	...	285	54	7	6	54	7	6
Terrebonne	4	...	240	37	9	9	37	9	9
Ste. Thérèse, Haut de	1	...	36						
" Bas de	1	...	54						
" Sud de	1	...	41						
" Village de	1	...	80	62	12	3	62	12	3
" Rivière Cachée de...	1	...	23						
" Côte Blainville de	1	...	65						
" (Dissentients)	...	1	37						
Mille Isles	3	...	98	7	14	11½	7	14	11½
Total.....	50	1	2339	480	19	4	461	7	1

COUNTY OF VAUDREUIL.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Côteau du Lac	8	...	268	68	15	10	68	15	10
Isle Perrot	2	...	66	23	1	4	23	1	4
Marthe, Ste...	5	...	147	26	15	6	26	15	6
Newton	2	...	46	9	6	3	9	6	3
New Longueuil	9	...	356	58	6	1½	58	6	1½
" (Dissentients)	...	2	55	9	0	1	9	0	1
Rigaud	9	...	342	61	18	2	61	18	2
" (Dissentients)	...	1	42	9	12	1	9	12	1
Soulanges	5	...	280	47	19	0	47	19	0
Vaudreuil	8	...	335	69	10	8	69	10	8
Zotique, St....	3	1	157	31	19	3½	31	19	3½
Total.....	51	4	2094	416	4	4	416	4	4

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COUNTY OF VERCHÈRES.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Six months' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amounts granted. £	s.	d.
Antoine, St...	6	...	191	33	13	11	33	13	11
Belœil	5	...	298	43	18	3	43	18	3
Contrecœur...	4	...	226	44	6	6	44	6	6
Marc, St.	3	...	185	24	9	4	24	9	4
Varennes	9	...	456	86	0	3	86	0	3
Verchères	3	...	209	51	11	6	51	11	6
Total.....	30	...	1565	283	19	9	283	19	9

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COUNTY OF YAMASKA.

Municipalities.	Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of Children attending the Schools from 5 to 16 years of age.	Sixmonths' allowance of the sum allotted to Lower Canada. £	s.	d.	Amount granted. £	s.	d.
Baie du Febvre	9	...	421	73	18	0	73	18	0
David, St.	6	...	283	52	1	5	52	1	5
François du Lac, St.	8	...	219	87	18	1	87	18	1
Yamaska	...	...	.....	53	16	0			
Séphyrin, St.	...	...	.....	16	4	6			
Total.....	23	...	923	284	8	0	213	17	6

RECAPITULATION for the first six months of 1850.

Counties.	Amount allotted.			Amount granted.			Schools.		Number of children.
							Commissioners'	Dissentient.	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Beauharnois	683	7	10	683	7	10	123	9	5099
Bellechasse	312	8	2	270	1	2½	48	...	1648
Berthier	592	15	5	569	17	4	59	...	2747
Bonaventure	167	14	9	159	10	9	21	1	660
Chambly	400	11	3	400	11	3	40	3	2239
Champlain	224	13	4	166	16	7	23	...	959
Deux-Montagnes	614	17	10	503	18	0½	71	1	2720
Dorchester	795	13	9	491	0	5	79	1	2748
Drummond	218	14	8	113	10	7	23	...	627
Gaspé	177	10	10	69	4	2	9	...	233
Huntingdon...	796	3	8	796	3	8	92	1	4591
Kamouraska	393	3	0	308	7	5	32	...	1022
L'Islet	375	7	1	91	17	2	11	...	637
Leinster	553	4	6	553	4	6	72	...	3062
Lotbinière	329	19	1	294	8	11	46	...	1436
Mégantic	181	8	4	71	19	5	15	...	486
Missisquoi	233	13	0	233	13	0	72	...	2308
Montmorency	164	3	11	150	0	6	22	...	1043
Carried forward.....	7215	10	5	5928	12	9	858	16	34265

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Counties.	Amount allotted.			Amount granted.			Schools. Commissioners'	Schools. Dissentient.	Number of children.
Brought forward..... £	7315	10	5	5927	12	10	858	16	34263
Montréal	604	7	8	604	7	8	62	...	2891
Nicolet	369	8	5	325	0	3	54	...	2452
Ottawa	270	14	5	162	10	0	29	1	849
Portneuf	352	5	8	292	16	0	41	...	1704
Quebec	650	6	1	555	12	5	41	...	2966
Richelieu	471	5	0	471	5	0	50	1	2519
Rimouski	461	7	2	402	5	9	53	...	1851
Rouville	556	5	5	556	5	5	80	2	3296
Saguenay	335	7	10	328	17	8	41	...	1425
St. Hyacinthe	476	10	6	476	10	6	83	...	2946
St. Maurice	487	12	10	487	12	10	68	...	2603
Shefford	220	9	4	188	10	0	61	6	2065
Sherbrooke	309	2	2	284	1	3	81	...	2270
Stanstead	254	3	3	254	3	3	89	...	2620
Terrebonne	480	19	4	461	7	1	50	1	2339
Vaudreuil	416	4	4	416	4	4	51	2	2094
Verchères	283	19	9	283	19	9	30	...	1565
Yamaska	284	8	0	213	17	6	23	...	923
Total..... £	14500	0	0	12693	1	4½	1845	34	73551

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